

FILIPINOS SUFFER FROM AMERICAN OPPRESSION SAYS JAPANESE WRITER

Dr. K. Miyama Makes Trip to Islands to Try to Grab Trade Germany Has Lost There

"Expand the Japanese trade in the Philippines" is the advice that Dr. K. Miyama takes back to Japan, following an extensive trip throughout those islands.

Dr. Miyama has written an article on his return, which he calls "Japan in the Philippines" and which advocates a much greater extension of the Japanese markets in the American possessions.

"In point of trade," says the writer, "the United States comes first in the islands, and after that, England and Japan. In spite of the fact that Japan's geographical location is a distinct advantage, she has been able to surpass only Germany and China in trading."

"The Chinese are especially strong," continues Dr. Miyama, "all throughout the interior, but the natives pay very little respect to them because they do not like their cunning ways."

Dr. Miyama says that he found no anti-Japanese sentiment in the islands, but that the natives seem to be suffering a great deal from "American oppression."

"Everywhere," he says, "a warmer feeling prevails toward the Japanese residents than toward any other race."

"In the islands both American authorities and native people welcome the Japanese kindly and treat them

with due consideration. The authorities are especially anxious to introduce more laborers from Japan. American hemp companies have already introduced Japanese in their work, with very satisfactory results.

"The culture of abaca, the plant of the banana family whose inner fiber is used for hemp, is a new industry that promises phenomenal development. This business will still further increase the demand for Japanese labor."

Dr. Miyama's article also makes note of the employment of Japanese divers in the pearl fishing industry. These men are very skillful in diving and are absolutely fearless, he says. Japanese now almost monopolize the pearl fishing business.

"Japan should supply the Filipinos with those commodities which were formerly furnished by Germany," says the doctor. "These would include matches, cement and leather goods. Most of the shoes worn by the Filipinos of the higher class of society are imported from the United States, but the natives have very wide feet, and the shoes that come from Japan are better adapted to their use."

"Many things which are now going to waste in the Philippines could be very profitably exported to Japan," says the doctor, taking up this feature of trade. "Much of this, coming into the country as raw material, could be sent out to other countries after having passed through Japanese factories, and could then be considered as export goods."

MORE DELEGATES FROM HONOLULU MAY BE HANDLED

Lihue Chamber of Commerce to Hold Special Meeting to Consider Housing

Word received this morning from Lihue by R. C. Brown states that a special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of that place has been called by President W. C. Avery to make a definite decision and announcement in regard to the number of delegates that can be accommodated from the other islands, as well as to handle other matters of business that have come up in connection with the civic convention which meets next month.

The word this morning is in reply to a wireless message sent by Mr. Brown yesterday to learn the exact status of the delegate question, considerable doubt seeming to exist in the minds of Honolulu people as to the number of people for whom accommodations can be provided. According to a list published a few days ago the Oahu delegation was placed at 77, which was made to include women visitors also.

C. B. Gage of the Ad Club says that there will be no difficulty in providing the 77 delegates from this island, there being last year a delegation of 110 to the island of Maui.

A number of exceedingly clever stunts have been arranged by the Ad Club, but these are all being kept secret. In fact every member of the stunt committee has been sworn to secrecy, and not even the other committees from the club know what the stunts are to be. The Ad Club promises, however, that the Kauai people will suffer no damage from the stunts that are arranged, so that they need have no fears in regard to the plans.

Alexander Hume Ford stated in the meeting of the general committee of Oahu a few days ago that although the Hands-Around-the-Pacific movement had been allotted but one delegate, he would see to it that at least 10 were sent from that source alone. "We shall take tents," said Mr. Ford, when asked as to his plan, "and with our own food and covering we shall camp on the Kauai sands."

As to the Ad Club's chartering the Kilauea for the trip, that is awaiting definite announcement regarding the number of delegates that may be sent. A first-class boat will be provided, no matter what the final decision in regard to numbers.

The corn crop situation in Minnesota is reported very unfavorable.

MARYLAND WILL TAKE REMAINS OF PRICE TO COAST

When the U. S. cruiser Maryland sails for San Francisco either at 4 or 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon or at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning, it will bear to the mainland the body of Corporal Charles Price, killed in a fall over a cliff near Waianae Wednesday.

Price was well liked on the Maryland and had all the attributes of a good marine, according to the officers. Monday a short funeral service over the dead marine's remains will probably be held on board the battleship with the Maryland's chaplain, Rev. J. D. McNair, officiating. The body will lie in state in one of the gun rooms and on the voyage one marine and one bluejacket sentinel will keep watch over it. The remains are now at a local undertaker's mortuary.

Down to a late hour today, no word had been received from relatives of Price as to what disposition to make of the body. In case relatives cannot be located, interment will be made in the U. S. navy cemetery at Mare Island, San Francisco. The dead man has a sister living on a ranch near Las Animas, Colorado, but no answer has been received to a cablegram sent her telling of her brother's death.

CLARK MAKES DENIAL OF CHARGE NOW UNDER PROBE BY GRAND JURY

The wrecking of a city automobile, soon to be under investigation by the grand jury, an exploit with which the name of Road Overseer Charles Clark has been connected, was not due to the excessive use of liquor, says Mr. Clark.

He said that in company with two others he drove the machine to Haleiwa Saturday, and returned by way of Kaneohe Sunday. He says the steering gear broke on the Kaneohe road, and the car took to the ditch. He says that it has been repaired and is now in running condition again.

"PETER N. NOA" HARD TO LOCATE IN CITY

A report circulated yesterday was to the effect that the "Four Home Rule delegates and the six Democrats elected" were to meet in the office of "Peter N. Noa" on Smith street at four o'clock yesterday afternoon to launch a fight on Delegate Achi at the coming charter election.

A representative of the Star-Bulletin made efforts today to locate the offices of "Peter N. Noa on Smith street," but no such office could be found. No

SPECIAL COURSE OF BIBLE STUDY BEGINS SUNDAY

With the graduation of a class of 21 from the Honolulu Bible Training school the last Sunday in May, it was announced that the regular course of Bible study and teaching methods would be resumed the first Sunday in October.

With the return, however, of Theodore Richards from the mainland a plan to conduct a study hour during the interim has been consummated. This plan will be put into effect tomorrow morning, and with the international Sunday school lessons as a basis, there will be a study hour under the leadership of Mr. Richards beginning at 10 o'clock.

This course of study will be entirely independent of that carried out in the regular work of the Honolulu Bible Training school and is designed only for those who have not affiliated themselves with other Sunday school work during the summer. Members of the school are widely scattered during the vacation period, while a number of those in town have definitely pledged themselves in support of other churches and Sunday schools. All those who have free time are invited to meet with the class beginning tomorrow morning. The sessions of the Honolulu Bible Training school are held in the clubhouse adjoining Kawaiahaeo church.

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could anyone be located by the Star-Bulletin today by that name. The city directory does not contain it. County Clerk Kalaupokalani said P. Hooli is the only Home Rule delegate, and that "Peter N. Noa" is not a delegate in fact, the clerk said he never heard of anybody by that name.

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COURT MARTIAL THREATS MADE, FIELD INSISTS

Witnesses in Illicit Liquor Case All Deny Army Pressure Made Them Testify

As a part of his "case" in Circuit Judge Stuart's court yesterday afternoon James F. Field, colored, who was charged with selling booze without a license at Waihala's "blood town," charged that the soldiers who testified against him were doing so under pressure—that they had been threatened with courtmartial and sundry other punishments should they refuse to testify.

Although Field got six months on the reef and was fined \$100 for his pains, Circuit Judge Ashford recalled all the witnesses and questioned them as to whether Field's allegations were true. The witnesses—four of them—declared that they had not been forced to testify, and that they were in court "only to tell the truth."

Pvt. Edward McNary of the 4th Cavalry displayed a peeve when Field questioned him as to whether he was testifying under pressure. He said he would like to make a statement, Judge Ashford told him to go ahead.

"I am an Irishman, sir," he began. "My father fought in the Civil War and was shot four times. My brother served in the Spanish war and was also shot, and—"

"And you were half-shot at Waihala on the night in question," interrupted Judge Ashford.

"Yes, sir, that's just it," admitted McNary.

Sgt. Bradley of the 25th Infantry said he had gone to Field's place at Waihala and that he had had some drinks out of a black bottle. He said he did not know what the liquor was.

"Was it molasses?" smiled Judge Ashford.

"Well now, suh, ah just couldn't say positively what was in that bottle. If the bottle had been light, ah could have told whether the liquor was white or red," answered Bradley.

CHINESE MERCHANTS STILL RAISING CASH

Subscriptions amounting to \$141.65 received in the last three days by the Chinese Merchants' Association, which is collecting money for the Chinese flood relief, are announced by Wong Chow as follows:

Kee Kong Han, Honolulu, \$4.50; Kong Leong, Kilauea, Kauai, \$40; Goo Koon Cheong, Lahaina, \$36.55; Tung Fung Kee, Hilo, \$2.50; Goo Sup, Lahaina, \$5; and Chang Yin, Kohala, \$3.



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QUEEN WILL CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY ON THURSDAY

On next Thursday, September 2, Queen Liliuokalani will be 77 years of age, and, as has been the custom for many years, her own people and the officials of the American government will visit her at the home in Washington place to pay her homage. One of the customary features of the day will be the gifts of fruits and flowers, brought at sunrise by the Hawaiians. The Hawaiian band will furnish music for the occasion. The queen herself will probably receive her guests, sitting in one of the great chairs at her home, with the Hawaiian royal standard draped back of her.

MARYLAND BAND HAD TO PLAY ALL DAY AND THEN HALF OF NIGHT

"Nothing to do till tomorrow," is the way the band of the U. S. S. cruiser Maryland feels today. The musicians led the strenuous life all day yesterday and last night, and today they have been resting up a little.

All day yesterday, during coaling, the band played away at a great rate. When night came its work was not half through, however. The chief petty officers gave a dance at the Moana hotel last evening, and the bandmen had to play for it as well. Signor Margiotto and his men produced a very acceptable brand of melody, and earned the gratitude of everyone who attended the dance.

There were about 75 couples present at the affair, which was very successful in every way. Dancing lasted from 9 until 11:30, and both the latest steps and the more conservative ones were observed.

"NATURE MAN" MADE TO PICK COFFEE. HE SAYS: GOES BACK TO COAST

"Hawaii is no place for me," said William Pester, "nature man," of Los Angeles, as he went down the gangplank from the steamer Matsonia on August 18, says the San Francisco Examiner.

The nature man told a story of having been "ordered to move on" from Honolulu. He says he then went to Kona expecting to find berries and wild fruit in plenty, but the planters there put him to work picking coffee, so he returned to Honolulu and sailed as soon as possible for the mainland.

M'CROSSON WAS SURE SUSPENSION WOULD NOT BE SUPPORTED

Because it would be unfair to ask for a protective tariff on sugar, and at the same time put in a plea for the admission of foreign ships to coastwise traffic, John T. McCrosson prophesied to the San Francisco Chronicle on August 19 that the Honolulu Chamber of Commerce would vote down the proposition to suspend or amend the Coastwise Law.

"I don't think that the majority of the businessmen of the islands favor the suspension of the law," he said, and continued:

"With the high price of sugar, everyone is prosperous in Hawaii, but with conditions as they were before the war and free sugar in 1916, less than 25 per cent of the plantations could operate."

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